

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff(s),

CASE NUMBER: 05-74755

HONORABLE VICTORIA A. ROBERTS

v.

BENJAMIN J. BENFORD,

Defendant(s),

and

RIVER ROUGE BOARD OF EDUCATION
and SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF
RIVER ROUGE,

Garnishee(s).

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ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On April 5, 2007, Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen submitted a Report and Recommendation **[Doc. 14]** recommending that the Court deny Defendant Benjamin Benford's Claim for Exemptions. **[Doc. 8]**. Because no party filed objections within the time frame provided for in 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and E.D. Mich. LR 72.1(d)(3), the Court adopts the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation. The Court, therefore, **DENIES** Defendant's Claim for Exemptions and will allow writs of garnishment as to both Defendant's pension benefits and his pending state court law suit.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

S/Victoria A. Roberts

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United States District Judge

Dated: May 22, 2007

The undersigned certifies that a copy of this document was served on the attorneys of record by electronic means or U.S. Mail on May 22, 2007.

S/Carol A. Pinegar _____
Deputy Clerk